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Rev. C. W. Deming has been spending the week on his ranch near Prescott.

Willie Bonelli, who is attending the University of Southern California, is home for the holidays.

H. E. Bierce, who is operating the copper mines at Mineral Park, is in Kingman attending to business affairs.

The Misses Evelyn and Helen Purcell of Los Angeles, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kean St. Charles and family.

County Attorney C. W. Herndon, leaves this evening for Prescott, where he will spend Christmas with his mother.

Miss Pearl Carr, who is taking a course in shorthand in the city, is spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Mary Kayser, who has been visiting her brother in Phoenix the past month, returned home the first of the week.

Frank Russell, a prosperous rancher of the Sandy, was a visitor to Kingman this week to meet his brother, Attorney J. E. Russell of Prescott.

The Misses Hettie Klein and Virginia Noli leave this evening for Los Angeles, where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

Dr. Paul McIntosh, Kingman's leading dentist, has returned from his monthly trip from Gold Road and Oatman. After Jan. 1st will make his first trip to Chloride.

G. F. Gaither and wife, who have been visiting in Los Angeles and San Francisco the past two weeks, are home again. Mr. Gaither is the local agent of the Santa Fe.

Mrs. Julia B. Ward, mother of Mrs. Thomas Devine, is visiting in Kingman during the holidays. Mrs. Ward is removing from Illinois to a new home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Fancher came in from the Windmill ranch yesterday to meet their daughter, Miss Olive, who will come down from Flagstaff today to spend Christmas with her parents.

A. B. Richmond went out to the Gold Road section this morning, where he will look over that prosperous mining field. He expects to leave for his home in Tucson tomorrow night, where he will spend the holidays.

William O'Dea came in from Todd Basin yesterday evening to spend a cousin on his way to New York, a Mr. Henry, who has been visiting on the coast in company of his wife. Mr. O'Dea had not seen the relative for many years.

Thomas Hudspeth, one of the large sheep growers of Northern Arizona, was initiated into the order of Elks last evening. Mr. Hudspeth has ranged his flocks over this county many years, but last night was the first time he realized what it was to be shorn.

The M. E. Sunday school will have a tree and treat for the scholars, and Santa Claus is expected to make his appearance about eight o'clock on Christmas eve, after which there will be games for the children. There will be no regular program as it is a children's party.

While storms are threatening all around so far only a small amount of rain has fallen. The other morning the high mountains showed a coat of white, which disappeared before noon. Less snow is now visible on the mountains than a week ago, but the chances for a greater snowfall appear to be good.

**Cured of Liver Complaint.**

"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Iva Smith of Point Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a 25c box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to every one." For sale by all dealers.

Frank L. Hunt has gone to Tucson to attend the meeting of the State Assessors. The meeting is called for the purpose of exchanging views on the subject of tax assessment and to post up on the new laws and the rules and regulations of the State Tax Commission.

John Denair, who at one time was division superintendent of the Santa Fe with headquarters at Needles, and who later promoted the Orange Blossom mine and the townsite of Denair, is having a survey for a railroad from Needles to Blythe, which will eventually become a part of the Santa Fe. It is said that work will be commenced on the line within the next sixty days.

Paul Mader arrived from St. Louis last Thursday evening on his way to the placer mines on the Colorado river, above Bonelli Ferry, and remained over in Kingman until today, awaiting the arrival of Frank Barnes. It will be remembered that Mr. Mader, father of the young man, disappeared a year ago and no trace has ever been found of him. The young man made diligent search for many months, but could only trace his parent as far as six mile rapids, after which no trace could be found. The elder Mader had been working on his placer claims and had written his wife in St. Louis that he would come out about the third of January of this year and that was the last ever heard of him. It is probable that his boat was overturned in the rapids and the body carried into some eddy in the many coves along the Black Canyon.

A. F. Duclos, superintendent of the Fort Mohave Indian school, was in Kingman Tuesday last to place the matter of building a bridge over the Colorado river before the board of supervisors and the Mohave County Good Roads Association. Mr. Duclos has placed the matter with the Indian department and it is probable that some action will be had at once. The Indian school is on the Arizona side of the river and supplies are obtained from Needles, and should a bridge be built the run from the school to Needles would be made in a few hours, while at the present time supplies have to be ferried across the river and a long and tedious wait is the result. During May, June and July the river is practically impossible at this point, being five miles wide. With the bridge built and a road on the outskirts of the valley great benefit would accrue to the Indian farmers and the school.

Clement Mayes, of Tonopah, Nevada, is in Washington in the interest of a scheme to put a dam in the Colorado river, in Boulder Canyon, near the mouth of Vegas Wash, for the purpose of generating a large amount of electric power. Henry Schmidt, of Tonopah, is also interested with Mr. Mayes in the scheme. They have looked over the ground and are sanguine of carrying out the project. It is estimated that the dam and distribution of power to the various camps in Utah, Nevada, California and Arizona will cost more than two millions of dollars, which appears to be a very conservative estimate. A dam in the Colorado river will cost at least two millions and the wiring up of all the camps will take no mean amount of money. We believe that the project is entirely feasible, but it is well to go after enough money to complete the scheme while the promoters are about it. We also believe that there are better points for power development on the Colorado river than Boulder Canyon, that at the mouth of the Grand Canyon being more accessible.

Santa Claus has headquarters at Watkins' this year.

**Dr. Hobson's Ointment Heals Itchy Eczema.**

The constantly itching, burning sensation and other disagreeable forms of eczema, tetter, salt rheum and skin eruptions promptly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Geo. W. Fitch of Mendota, Ill., says: "I purchased a box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Have had Eczema ever since the civil war, have been treated by many doctors, none have given the benefit that one box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has." Every sufferer should try it. We're so positive it will help you we guarantee it or money refunded. At all Druggists or by mail 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia & St. Louis.

**Death of James Brenton.**

Last Tuesday night James Brenton, one of the business men of Chloride, suicided by taking a dose of strychnine. Just what led to this rash act is unknown, as he was in a happy frame of mind a few hours before his brother found him in the throes of death. He had disposed of all his property to his niece and her husband, which led to the belief that he had contemplated the act for some time. He carried with him a bottle of strychnine the past six weeks in contemplation of taking his own life.

Deceased had taken up his residence in Chloride several years ago, purchased the water works of that place and did a jobbing business. By all who knew him he is said to have been a kind hearted, good tempered man, honest as the day and a citizen of whom any community would feel proud.

The remains were taken to Kingman Wednesday evening and after services at the M. E. church Thursday morning were interred in the local cemetery. Many Chloride people accompanied the remains to Kingman and were joined by Kingman people in paying their last token of respect to the dead.

He leaves a brother and a niece to mourn his loss.

A. J. Herndon, the well known insurance man of Prescott, who has been doing business in Kingman the past ten days, leaves this evening for Los Angeles, where he will spend the holidays with his family.

Advice has just been received by the Arizona Corporation Commission that the new coal rates from Gallup, New Mexico, to Arizona points will not be effective until January 15, 1914. Recently the commission was advised that these rates would be effective January first, but the Interstate Commerce Commission has modified its former order and extended for fifteen days the date upon which the new rates will be effective. Coal dealers in various parts of the state who have withheld their orders, should take notice that they will not be able to take advantage of the new rates as soon as was at first supposed. The reduction in rates resulted from an appeal made by the Arizona Corporation Commission to the Interstate Commerce Commission. The reduction in most instances are material.

**Certificate of Amendment OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE Arizona Stores Company.**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY: That at a Special Meeting of the stockholders of the ARIZONA STORES COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Arizona, held at the principal office of said corporation, at Kingman, Mohave County, Arizona, on Wednesday the third day of December, 1913, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., of said day, due notice of which said meeting had been acknowledged by all of the stockholders of record of said corporation on the 30th day of October, 1913, and at which said meeting the owners and holders of all of the outstanding capital stock of said corporation were present, a resolution was duly and regularly introduced and seconded, and was adopted by the affirmative vote of all of the stockholders of record of said corporation, and representing all of the outstanding shares of stock in said corporation, which said Resolution was in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

BE IT RESOLVED: That Article III of the Articles of Incorporation of the ARIZONA STORES COMPANY be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

ARTICLE III: The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000), divided into fifteen hundred (1500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each, and the same, when issued, shall be fully paid and forever non-assessable. Said stock shall be issued at such time or times, and upon such terms and conditions, as may be provided by the Board of Directors, and such stock may be exchanged for property, labor, good-will or for services rendered or for benefits accruing to the corporation in any manner or form whatsoever, as the Board of Directors may determine, and in the absence of actual fraud such determination of the Board of Directors shall be final.

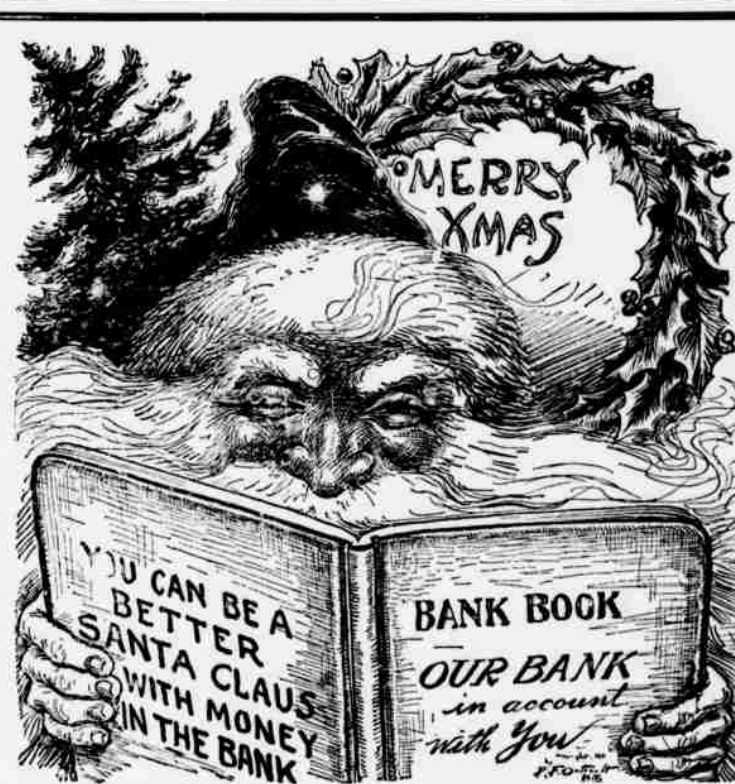
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That Article VII of said Articles of Incorporation of said Arizona Stores Company be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

ARTICLE VII: The highest amount of indebtedness to which this corporation shall at any time subject itself is the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the President and Secretary of the ARIZONA STORES COMPANY be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to make proper instruments in writing to certify and evidence said amendments, and to file or record the same with the ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION, and to file a certified copy thereof with the County Recorder of Mohave County, Arizona, and to publish said amendments, and to do any and all things required by law to make such amendments valid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate has been executed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the ARIZONA STORES COMPANY, and the corporate seal of said corporation hereunto affixed this fifteenth day of December, A. D. 1913.

(Corporate Seal) J. H. KNIGHT, President.  
Attest: E. A. SHAW, Secretary.  
STATE OF ARIZONA, )  
County of Mohave, ) ss.  
THIS INSTRUMENT was acknowledged before me this fifteenth day of December, 1913, by J. H. Knight as President, and E. A. Shaw as Secretary of the Arizona Stores Company.  
C. W. HERNDON, Notary Public.  
My commission expires 2-23-1916.  
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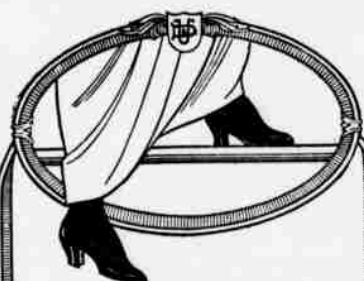
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**SOLD BY S. T. ELLIOTT Kingman, Arizona**

Needles base ball boys trimmed the Kingman team to the tune of seven to five, last Sunday. Tommy Clark's arm went bad and from that time on the game drifted to the Needles boys. For five innings the boys from over the Colorado were unable to hit Tommy, but a sore arm compelled this brilliant young pitcher's retirement. His successor was batted all over the lot, two home runs being made off his delivery. With Clark in condition Kingman would have easy pickings off the present make up of Needles. The two pitchers for Needles heaved good ball, but not of the class sort that Tommy delivers. It is expected that a return game will be played at Needles soon.

Dr. Shannon and wife, who have been in Los Angeles for a few weeks, are home again.

Please call and see the fine and varied assortment of fine china at Watkins'.

**Not Beyond Help at 87**

Sleep-disturbing bladder weakness, stiffness in joints, weak, inactive kidney action and rheumatic pains, are all evidence of kidney trouble. Mrs. Mary A. Dean 47 E. Walnut St., Taunton, Mass., writes: "I have passed my 87th birthday and thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, but Foley's Kidney Pills have proved most beneficial in my case of kidney and bladder trouble." Elderly people will find Foley Kidney Pills both tonic and strengthening, and may be sure they contain no harmful drugs. Sold by H. H. Watkins, druggist.

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